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Grants matching your search for 2003-04 Local Govt. Tire Amnesty Day Grants (TR28)

Alameda County

Grantee: City of Oakland

Amount Awarded: \$19,938.00
Grantee Contact: Mr. Calvin Wong

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 510-238-4794

CalRecycle Grant manager: Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The City of Oakland's Earth Day Residential Waste Tire Collection Event will collect waste tires from residents during the City of Oakland's annual citywide Earth Day Cleanup on April 17, 2004. Fifteen debris boxes that hold up to 500 waste tires each, and are provided at no charge to City Council members as part of Oakland's Franchise Agreement with Waste Management of Alameda County will be placed at five sites for waste tire collection only. The sites will be staffed by members of the local conservation corps. Collection promotion will be in conjunction with event promotion. A day of event informational brochure would be provided to all collection event and Earth Day Cleanup participants.

Grantee: City of San Leandro **Amount Awarded:** \$20,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Michael Bakaldin

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 510-577-3331 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The City of San Leandro will conduct a series of six Waste Tire Amnesty Day events in 2004-2005 to reduce the number of illegally dumped, improperly discarded and stockpiled tires in the city limits. The events will be held on separate days in each of the City`s six Council District allowing us to provide safe and convenient waste tire collection on a somewhat regular basis. In addition, it will allow us to target our effort and public outreach to specific areas in the city that have a higher incidence of illegal dumping and stockpiled tires (I .e. low income neighborhoods). The events will be advertised as part of a comprehensive Neighborhood Cleanup Program and public outreach will be conducted to raise environmental awareness of hazards associated with illegally dumped tires, the benefits of recycling tires, and proper tire maintenance. We anticipate that we will collect approximately 5,000 waste tires during the six events that will be recycled into crumb rubber.

Total Awarded for County:\$39,938.00

Imperial County

Grantee: City of El Centro
Amount Awarded: \$50,000.00
Grantee Contact: Ms. JB West

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 760-337-4538 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: This project will include three major components: (1) amnesty collection events, (2) promotion of amnesty events and tire education, and (3) hauling and recycling of collected tires. There will be twenty-five (25) amnesty collection events conducted on Saturdays from April 2004 through March 2006 throughout Imperial Valley, providing free collection of tires for Imperial Valley residents. Residents have tires on personal property primarily because of a lack of information of proper disposal, financial resources, or have had tires dumped on their property. Promotional and educational materials in English and Spanish will be aired on the radio, provided in print form in literature displays, and provided for students in educational presentations. The collected tires will be hauled to recycling facilities in either Mecca, CA or Garden City, CA.

Total Awarded for County:\$50,000.00

Los Angeles County

Grantee: Los Angeles County

Amount Awarded: \$50,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Bob Barker

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 626-458-5167 CalRecycle Grant manager: Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The County of Los Angeles and the Cities of Lancaster and Palmdale will conduct a joint waste tire amnesty event in April 2004 to reduce the illegal dumping of waste tires and to divert the tires from landfill disposal in the vast Antelope Valley. The event will be held at five locations for the convenience to residents. Public outreach will be conducted to raise environmental awareness of the hazards associated with illegally dumped tires, and to inform residents on the benefits of recycling tires and proper tire care. This event anticipates collecting 10,000 waste tires, which will be recycled into crumb rubber.

Total Awarded for County:\$50,000.00

Napa County

Grantee: Napa County

Amount Awarded: \$34,452.00 Grantee Contact: Mr. Greg Pirie

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 707-253-4144
CalRecycle Grant manager: Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The Napa County Executive Office/Local Enforcement Agency in cooperation with the City of Napa, and the Upper Valley Waste Management Agency-is proposing a regional waste tire amnesty and educational program. The Countywide program is a collaborative, multi-agency effort to develop and provide the public of Napa County an economical means to recycle/dispose of waste tires, and an educational program on the maintenance, storage, and public health and safety of managing waste tires. The public will be able to recycle/dispose of waste tires at local drop-offs points by means of a voucher system. The public educational program will focus on development of a brochure to explain the proper storage, handling and tire maintenance and safety, newspaper print ads, and flyers to announce the events. The amnesty program will reduce the ongoing problem of illegal dumping on roadways and reduce the environmental threat of waste tire fires and illegal dumping.

Total Awarded for County:\$34,452.00

Orange County

Grantee: City of La Habra

Amount Awarded: \$19,940.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Brad Bridenbecker

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 562-905-9701 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The City of La Habra appreciates the opportunity to apply for funding for our Tire Amnesty Collection Day and Public Education campaign. The City plans to initiate an in-depth public education campaign, which will include, newspaper ads, cable t.v. spots, fliers, brochures and promotional items. City staff also plans to visit body shops and repair facilities to discuss tire recycling with the owners/managers. All of these efforts are aimed at having a high participation rate at the Tire Amnesty Day, which will be held in conjunction with the Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event.

Total Awarded for County:\$19,940.00

Riverside County

Grantee: Riverside County

Amount Awarded: \$20,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Diane Christensen

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 951-486-3282 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The County of Riverside is proposing to expand the waste tire education and collection program to focus more on the rural areas of the County in conjunction with the Rural Household Hazardous Waste Collection events. This countywide program will distribute waste tire and tire maintenance educational brochures and tire gauges (made from recycled content plastic), conduct newspaper promotion and conduct tire collection events. These events are to be held in the rural areas where tire dumping is an ongoing challenge and expense for the County and where residents have few opportunities to recycle tires.

Total Awarded for County:\$20,000.00

San Bernardino County

Grantee: City of Barstow

Amount Awarded: \$17,650.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Belinda Barbour

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 760-255-5126 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The City of Barstow plans to conduct free turn-in of waste tires on the first Saturday of each month from April 2004 to April 2006. The collection point will be at the City's corporation yard staffed by public works employees. Based on estimates from our Solid Waste Coordinator and Code Enforcement officers, the City expects to receive up to 5,000 waste tires over the 25-month project. The tires will be stored in the corporation yard temporarily until a contracted and licensed waste tire hauler is able to transport the tires to an authorized waste tire energy recovery facility. This project will not include waste tires disposals from businesses or commercial operations.

Grantee: City of Needles

Amount Awarded: \$20,000.00

Grantee Contact: David Brownlee Jr.

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 760-326-2113 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The City of Needles will conduct a Waste Tire Amnesty Day in April 2004, the purpose of which will be to reduce the number of illegal waste tires that are dumped, and/or stockpiled within the city limits. The City will present a public outreach/education program whose thrust will be to inform the residents of the public safety issues inherent in illegally dumped tires, and to highlight the prudence of recycling tires versus dumpling/stockpiling. This program will be a precursor to a global program by the City to get the residents behind the concept that recycling, reuse, source reduction, et al, are intelligent, compassionate and life affirming alternatives to the present state of blight and a deteriorating quality of life that has been instrumental in the population decline evidenced over the past thirteen years.

Grantee: Town of Apple Valley **Amount Awarded:** \$29,350.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Gina M. Whiteside

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 760-240-7000 CalRecycle Grant manager: Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The Town of Apple Valley, with donations from the Apple Valley Fire District and Burrtec Waste Incorporated, will continue to provide free pick-up of Tires for Senior Citizens and the disabled, prior to each of the six Tire Amnesty Day events. The program will continue to be promoted through an extensive public education campaign including the distribution of 30,000 multilingual brochures and 20,000 newspaper inserts. The program will address an unmet need by covering a larger geographical area and protect the environment by reducing the amount of illegally dumped waste tires, allowing for diversion of the tires from disposal, or illegal dumping, in the surrounding high desert areas.

Total Awarded for County:\$67,000.00

Santa Clara County

Grantee: Santa Clara County

Amount Awarded: \$49,100.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Greg Van Wassenhove Grantee Contact Phone Number: 408-918-4646 CalRecycle Grant manager: Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The County of Santa Clara and seven participating jurisdictions will develop and implement a residential tire education program, focusing on resource conservation through proper tire maintenance and recycling, as well as reducing the spread of West Nile Virus by elimination of waste tires as potential mosquito breeding sited. Informational brochures will be published in the three predominant languages used in the county and distributed to residents of participating jurisdictions. In 2004, the program will collect an estimated 9,500 waste tires by conducting a free tire amnesty day at two locations. Publicity and advertising for the program will include garbage bill inserts, press releases and newspaper advertisements. Waste tires will be recycled by San Martin Transfer Station and Zanker Road Material Processing Facility.

Total Awarded for County:\$49,100.00

Solano County

Grantee: City of Vallejo

Amount Awarded: \$20,000.00

Grantee Contact: Nimat Shakoor-Grantham
Grantee Contact Phone Number: 707-648-4522
CalRecycle Grant manager: Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The City of Vallejo is experiencing serious problems with illegal dumping of waste tires and other materials. If approved, the proposed project will provide the community an opportunity to recycle waste tires at Neighborhood Cleanup events. The program will also provide a public outreach and education component aimed at informing residents about the dangers of illegal dumping and the benefits of recycling tires and proper maintenance of their active tires.

Total Awarded for County:\$20,000.00

Ventura County

Grantee: Ventura County

Amount Awarded: \$19,570.00

Grantee Contact: Ms. Kay Martin

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 805-289-3105 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: We will hold up to 6 tire amnesty days in locations throughout the county, some in conjunction with community beautification days. This will maximize participation. Prior to the amnesty days, we will update and publish our `Don`t Let Your Tires Get Tired` brochure in Spanish and English and distribute it throughout the area to advertise the events and to educate people on source reduction and responsible tire disposal. This project will address a growing problem of waste tires in our unincorporated areas, particularly in areas that are typically underserved and low income.

Total Awarded for County:\$19.570.00

Yuba County

Grantee: Regional Waste Management Authority

Amount Awarded: \$30,000.00

Grantee Contact: Mr. Keith Martin

Grantee Contact Phone Number: 530-634-6890 **CalRecycle Grant manager:** Boxing Cheng

Project Summary: The Regional Waste Management Authority (RWMA) is proposing to continue the highly successful public education and waste tire amnesty program for a fifth cycle to commence in July 2004. Based on the overwhelming response to the previous and current efforts, it is believed that there is a need for a continued program to clean-up nuisance and small tire piles in local neighborhoods and to prevent larger piles from accumulating. The public education program would focus on tire maintenance and safety to prolong the useful life of tires and on proper tire disposal to improve the health and safety of neighborhoods because waste tires provide habitats for disease-carrying pests, mosquitoes and other insects. Educational messages and the promotion of the availability of free disposal vouchers for a minimum of 5,955 used and waste tires would be disseminated via press releases; newspaper print ads; radio PSAs and, in the Yuba-Sutter Disposal, Inc. (YSDI) newsletter distributed as a billing insert. Residents of Yuba and Sutter Counties would request and use the vouchers for the free drop-off of used and waste tires at the local transfer stations operated by the franchised waste hauler, YSDI, for shipment to a recycling facility.

Total Awarded for County:\$30,000.00

Grant Count: 14 Grand Total for Selected Counties: \$400,000.00